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PUBLIC SAFETY AND HOMELAND SECURITY BUREAU ANNOUNCES REGION 35 (OREGON) PUBLIC SAFETY REGIONAL PLANNING COMMITTEE TO HOLD 700 MHZ REGIONAL PUBLIC SAFETY PLANNING MEETING

The Region 35 (Oregon)¹ Public Safety Regional Planning Committee (RPC) will hold its next meeting on Friday, December 18, 2009 from 10:00 a.m., until 12 noon at the Washington County Consolidated Communications Agency, Lower Training Room, 17911 N.W. Evergreen Parkway, Beaverton, Oregon.

The agenda for the meeting includes:

- Review final layout of the Region 35 700 MHz Plan
- Approval of meeting minutes
- Review and approval of the last two sections of the draft 700 MHz Plan
- Discuss addition of a plan section on the sunset of allocations
- RPC approval of the frequency repack
- RPC approval of Plan
- Opportunity for public testimony

The Region 35 700 MHz Public Safety RPC meetings are open to the public. All eligible public safety providers in Region 35 may utilize these frequencies. It is essential that eligible public safety agencies in all areas of government, including state, municipality, county, and Native American Tribal, and non-governmental organizations eligible under Section 90.523 of the Commission's rules, 47 C.F.R. § 90.523, be represented in order to ensure that each agency's future spectrum needs are considered in the allocation process. Administrators who are not oriented in the communications field should delegate someone with this knowledge to attend, participate, and represent their agency's needs.

All interested parties wishing to participate in the planning for the use of public safety spectrum in the 700 MHz band within Region 35 should plan to attend. For further information, please contact:

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¹ The Region 35 (Oregon) 700 MHz regional planning area consists of the entire state of Oregon.